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Via ECFS  
Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary  
Federal Communications Commission  
445 12th Street, S.W.  
Washington, D.C. 20554

**Re: In the Matter of Petition of USTelecom for Forbearance Pursuant to  
47 U.S.C. Section 160(c); WC Docket No. 18-141; Category 1**

Dear FCC,

I want my government, which annually receives my tax payments, to provide for and protect choices in a competitive market, not rulings or legislation that make already monopolized markets even less respectful of consumers (taxpayers).

Internet services has become a fundamental necessity to participate and survive in this society. It is for the people, first.

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